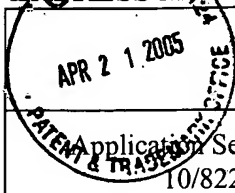


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Under Small Entity Status

 Attorney Docket
No: OKC00705

Application Serial Number: 10/822,286	Filing Date: 4/12/2004	Examiner: Mark A. Williams	Art Unit: 3676
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Invention: Ergonomic Handle With Thumb Support And A Tool Provided Therewith

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	21	MINUS	21	0	\$25	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	0	\$100	\$ 0.00

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 1/24/2005 to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

_____ one month (\$60.00) _____ three months (\$510.00)
 _____ two months (\$225.00) _____ four months (\$795.00)

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

- ☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- _____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- _____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.
- _____ Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account _____.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ Other Enclosures: Annotated Drawing Sheet; Replacement Drawing Sheet; Exhibit A – High School Physics Tutorial; Exhibit B – University of South Dakota – Characteristics of the Ergoknife With Thumbgrip Handle; An Acknowledgment postcard

4-21-2005
Date

Daniel P. Dooley
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Reg. No. 46369

I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR § 1.10 on the date indicated below and is addressed to Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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